



*JPW*

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Nalini M. Rajamannan

Art Unit : 1636

Serial No. : 10/667,625

Examiner : Quang Nguyen

Filed : September 22, 2003

Title : BIOPROSTHETIC HEART VALVES

**Mail Stop Amendment**

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT IN REPLY TO ACTION OF NOVEMBER 3, 2004

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING BY FIRST CLASS MAIL

I hereby certify under 37 CFR §1.8(a) that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail with sufficient postage on the date indicated below and is addressed to Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

January 19, 2005

Date of Deposit

Signature

*Judy Wasilkus*

Judy Wasilkus

Typed or Printed Name of Person Signing Certificate